

# OMAHA LABOR AREA SUMMARY

October 2011

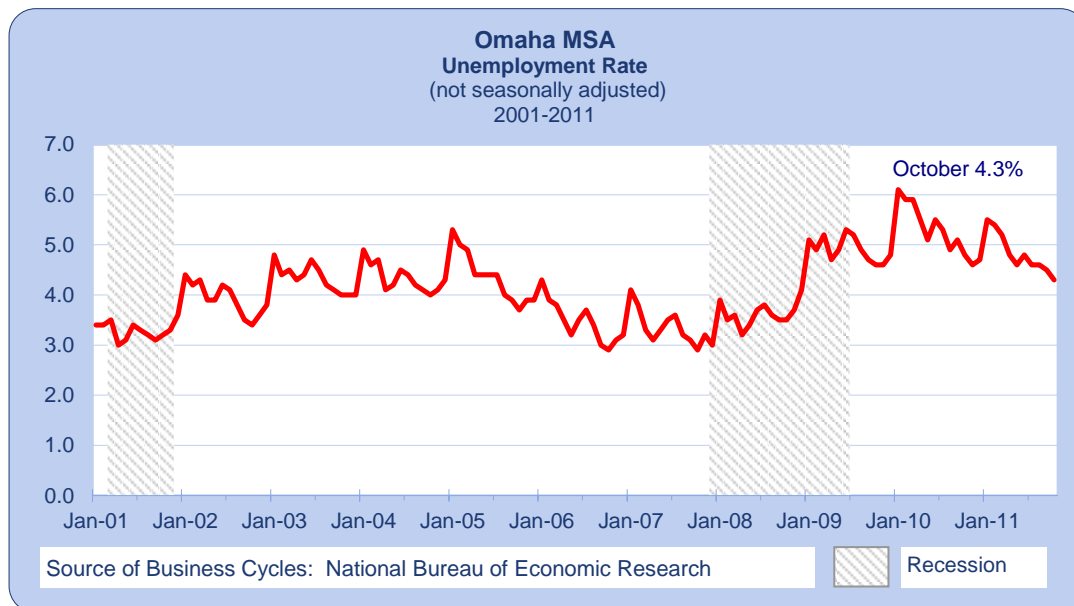
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## Labor Force Employment<sup>1</sup> by Place of Residence:

- ❑ **Omaha MSA** (not seasonally adjusted)
  - **October** unemployment rate: 4.3%
  - OTM Change: -0.2%
  - OTY Change: -0.3%
- ❑ **Revision to September Data**
  - Unemployment Rate: 0.1%
  - Labor force: 225
  - Unemployment: 206
  - Employment: 19
- ❑ **Omaha MSA, Nebr. part** (not seasonally adjusted):
  - Unemployment rate: 4.3%
  - Labor Force: 389,363
  - Unemployment: 16,621
  - Employment: 372,742
- ❑ **City of Omaha** (not seasonally adjusted):
  - Unemployment rate: 4.1%
  - Labor Force: 241,653
  - Unemployment: 9,810
  - Employment: 231,843

## Work Force Employment<sup>2</sup> by Place of Work (not seasonally adjusted):

- ❑ Omaha MSA, Non-farm employment estimates were 466,824 October 2011; 3,156 more jobs than last month and 7,078 more than in October 2010.
- ❑ Manufacturing industries employed 31,722 workers; 24 less people than last month and 753 more than in October 2010.
- ❑ Omaha MSA over-the-month employment top increases occurred in Government (2,338 or +3.7%) and Trade, Transportation, and Utilities (910 or 1.0%).
- ❑ Omaha MSA over-the-year employment top gains occurred in Professional and Business Services (3,883 or 6.1%) and Trade, Transportation, and Utilities (2,409 or 2.6%).



Labor Force Estimates <sup>1</sup> – Omaha MSA <sup>3</sup> (Not Seasonally Adjusted)						
	Preliminary	Revised		Changes Since		% Change
	Oct-11	Sept-11	Oct-10 <sup>4</sup>	OTM	OTY	OTM
<b>Unemployment Rate</b>	4.3	4.5	4.6	-0.2	-0.3	---
<b>Labor Force</b>	452,700	451,744	443,247	956	9,453	0.2
<i>Unemployment</i>	19,505	20,248	20,242	-743	-737	-3.7
<i>Employment</i>	433,195	431,496	423,005	1,699	10,190	0.4

<sup>1</sup> Source: Local Unemployment Statistics Program (LAUS), Nebraska Department of Labor and US Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics

<sup>2</sup> Source: Current Employment Statistics (CES), Nebraska Department of Labor, US Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics

<sup>3</sup> Omaha MSA includes Cass, Douglas, Sarpy, Saunders and Washington counties in Nebraska and Pottawattamie, Mills and Harrison counties in Iowa

<sup>4</sup> Benchmarked in 2011.